

# The Conditional

## El Potencial Simple

The conditional is used to talk about an **action that you would do: if something else were possible**

- 1.a conditional courtesy
- 2.an indirect quotation
- 3.conjecture about the past
- 4.Probability about the past

**Must Know:** The **infinitive must be kept in tact** before the endings are added. Irregular verbs take on a different verb stem.

### COMPRAR= TO BUY

Yo <b>compraría</b>	nosotros <b>compraríamos</b>
Tu <b>comprarías</b>	vosotros <b>compraríais</b>
el, ella, usted <b>compraría</b>	ellos, ellas, ustedes <b>comprarían</b>

### TENER = TO HAVE

Yo <b>tendría</b>	nosotros <b>tendríamos</b>
Tu <b>tendrías</b>	vosotros <b>tendríais</b>
el, ella, usted <b>tendría</b>	ellos, ellas, ustedes <b>tendrían</b>

### Examples:

- Si **tuviera** el dinero, **iría** a Europa. *If I had the money I would go to Spain.*
- Me **dijo** Juan que **vendría** mañana. *Juan told me that he would come tomorrow.*
- ¿Quiénes **serían**? *Who would that have been?*